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Wm. A. KNAUS et al.) Group Art Unit: 3626
Application No: 09/816,152) Examiner: Lena Najaria
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Title: BROADBAND COMPUTER-BASED NETWORKED SYSTEMS FOR CONTROLAND MANAGEMENT OF MEDICAL RECORDS

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REQUEST FOR ORAL HEARING

Sir:

In support of the Appeal Brief filed and dated October 12, 2006, with respect to the above-captioned patent application, Appellant respectfully requests an oral hearing. The requisite fee for the Oral Hearing is enclosed.

Respectfully submitted,

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